

Notice to the Public

Having failed to obtain bids when same were advertised for as required by the law, for the working and maintenance of the roads of the county, the Road Commission is anxious to organize crews or gangs of men on the roads to keep them in repair to the extent of the road revenues of the county. Therefore the commission asks the citizens of the various road sections of the county to submit to it propositions looking to the carrying out of this policy. The commission cannot carry out its plans without the co-operative and assistance of the people on directly interested in the roads. This it cordially invites. An early response to this invitation will enable the commission to begin its work without delay.

John H. Murphy,
Chairman Maury County Road Commission.

LOCAL DOCTORS NOT GUILTY OF "SELLING DOPE"

CHARGES DISMISSED AFTER THE HEARING BY U. S. COMMISSIONER FRIERSON.

EVIDENCE IS NOT SUFFICIENT

Large Number of Witnesses Testify That Physicians Accused Have Been Very Careful in Giving Prescriptions for Narcotics.

After hearing the evidence in the cases against the Black Drug Company, Dr. J. H. Voorhies, Dr. W. E. Black and Dr. R. M. Church, charged with "selling dope in violation of the Harrison Anti-Narcotic law," all four cases were dismissed, there being no evidence upon which they could have been convicted. On the other hand a large number of witnesses testified that the parties accused of violation of the anti-narcotic law had been very careful in its observance. Witness after witness told of the calls that are so frequently made for narcotics by those habitually addicted to the use of drugs, and how the physicians accused of "selling dope" had refused to sell them dope at all, and only cases of intense suffering, and where the patient was known to be a drug addict of long standing did the physicians even give prescriptions for narcotics.

In addition to the many character witnesses, there were expert witnesses who testified that the habitual use of drugs becomes an actual disease, as sulphate morphine creates in the body a poison toxin which can hardly be thrown off, and creates a craving for more of the drug.

These cases are the outcome of arrests made last March during the rush of "dope fiends" from every section of the United States to the powder plant at Nashville. In an effort to rid the city and county of Davidson of these dopers, federal officers got busy and made scores of arrests in Nashville and nearby towns.

ST. PETER'S VESTRY ORGANIZED TUESDAY

BY RE-ELECTION OF W. P. WOLDRIDGE AND R. L. MCKINNEY WARDENS OF PARISH.

At the first meeting of the calendar year of St. Peter's church vestry Tuesday evening at the rectory, the body was organized by the body unanimously re-electing Dr. W. P. Woldridge, senior warden; R. L. McKinney, junior warden; Dr. Turner Braly, treasurer; Hugh Lee Webster, secretary; George E. McKennon, treasurer of endowment fund, and the election of Gordon Brown as treasurer of the nation wide campaign fund.

The report of the treasurer showed the church to be in splendid financial condition and the work of the treasurer was commended by the vestry and rector for the splendid manner in which he had finished the work of parish.

It was unanimously voted that there would be another parish meeting held on Easter Monday night at which time important matters will be discussed. Dr. George O. Watts, rector, impressed upon the vestry the importance of the vestry lending its co-operation to the corporate communion on Sunday, February 22nd, at 7:30 a. m. This feature of the church work is under the direction of St. Andrews Brotherhood.

WHEN MEALS HIT BACK

"Pape's Diapiesin" instantly Ends Indigestion, Sourness, Stomach Acidity

Are lumps of undigested food causing your pain? Is your stomach acid, gassy, sour, or have you flatulence, heartburn? Then take Pape's Diapiesin. Just as soon as you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapiesin all that dyspepsia, indigestion and stomach distress caused by acidity ends. These pleasant, harmless tablets of Pape's Diapiesin never fail to make sick, upset stomachs feel fine at once, and they cost very little at drug stores. (Advt.)

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to those at Central Hospital also friends in Nashville and Columbia, who were so kind during our mother's and grandmother's illness and death. May God's richest blessing rest upon each of you is our prayer.

MR. & MRS. JOE SCOTT,
MR. & MRS. J. H. PENNINGTON,
MR. & MRS. EARL S. PENNINGTON.

TEMPERATURE IN JANUARY RANGED SIXTY DEGREES

NEARLY SEVEN INCHES OF RAIN FELL DURING THE MONTH JUST ENDED.

MEAN TEMPERATURE WAS 39.7

According to Weather Observations By Mrs. J. W. Fleming at Ashwood Temperature Fell Below Freezing Point Eighteen Times During Month

Maury county experienced all kinds of weather during the month just passed, the temperature ranging from 11 degrees on January 5, to 71 degrees on January 20. However, the mean temperature was 39.7 degrees. During the month 6.90 inches of rain fell, this amount falling in ten days which it rained. The number of clear days for the month was ten, the number of cloudy days 12, the number of partly cloudy days 9. During the month the temperature fell below 32 degrees eighteen times. The prevailing direction of the wind was north. January lacked only .4 of a degree of being normal in temperature. The rainfall was nearly two inches above normal, exactly 1.96 inches.

In January, 1919, the lowest temperature was 3 degrees, the highest being 64, however, the mean temperature for that month and for the one just past were the same.

January, 1918, capped the climax for the coldest month on record the mean temperature being 25.50. On January 12 the temperature was 12 degrees below zero, and on the 13th was 5 degrees below, and on the 21st was 7 degrees below, and 1 degree above on the 23rd. It was below 32 degrees twenty-nine times during the month, and the snowfall was 2 1/4 inches. The warmest January on record was in 1907 when the mean temperature was 52.7 degrees.

These figures are taken from the observations of Mrs. J. W. Fleming at Ashwood who compiles the record for the U. S. department of agriculture weather bureau.

Bank Offers Prize For Best Pair Of Pigs for the Year

At the Old Homestead sale of Duroc Jersey hogs on Tuesday the Phoenix National Bank offered a prize of fifty dollars for the best pair of pigs raised during the year from one of the sows purchased in the sale. It was further announced that the bank would loan any purchaser of a hog at the sale money for ten months to pay for it at six per cent interest.

ON REQUEST



We'll be glad to give you rock bottom cost figures on the repairs, installation of latest fixtures, PLUMBING—we can save you money, giving you a quicker job, one done thoroughly, replace old fixtures with the latest improvements, cheaper. See us—or call Bell Phone 163; Citizen's 311.

J. B. REES

What Is A Farm Worth?

45 Acres of which 12 acres average produced \$1,500 worth of corn in 1918

Improvements: A four room residence, barn 36x56, wire fence, two springs, located only 7 1-2 miles south of Columbia

Possession NOW and priced right on good terms

Stockard Realty Co.

Columbia, Tenn.

W. D. Stockard L. E. Stockard
Both Phones

VIRGINIA WOMAN GAINS 25 POUNDS

SAYS HEALTH HAS BEEN COMPLETELY RESTORED BY TAKING TANLAC.

"I was almost a complete nervous wreck when I started taking Tanlac, and it has not only completely restored my health but I have gained twenty-five pounds besides," said Mrs. C. H. Reid, 603 Chestnut street, Portsmouth, Va., recently.

"For three years," she continued, "I was troubled with indigestion, nervousness, loss of sleep and headaches. My food soured on my stomach and formed gas that pressed up into my chest and throat and around my heart so that I would have awful smothering spells. I had nervous headaches and pains in my back and shoulders would almost drive me wild. I would get dizzy and so nervous I would almost scream I got down to eighty-five pounds and was so weak I would just give out several times during the day. "After trying everything else I knew of without getting any better Tanlac gave me a splendid appetite and now I can eat anything and my digestion is perfect. I am not troubled at all with gas or palpitations, dizziness or smothering spells and I sleep soundly all night. Headaches, nervousness, pains in my back and shoulders are all gone and I never have that tired, worn out feeling any more."

All druggists sell Tanlac.—(Advt.)

JAMES ABBOTT DIES IN CALIFORNIA

News has been received here by Mrs. Will Matthews announcing the death of her nephew, James Abbott, in Oakland, Calif., and his sister is very low at the hospital in Oakland. The grief stricken mother has the sympathy of her many friends in Columbia, where she once lived.

L. E. STOCKARD ENTERS REALTY BUSINESS HERE

FORMER WELL KNOWN COLUMBIAN TO BE ASSOCIATED WITH HIS BROTHER.

MAKES A STRONG COMBINATION

Both Are Thoroughly Familiar With the Real Estate Business and Have the Pep and Enthusiasm That Is Required for Success.

Luther E. Stockard, formerly well known citizen of Columbia, but more recently with the Federal Chemical Company, of Louisville, will be associated in business here with his brother, W. D. Stockard, in the real estate business. They will operate a real estate agency under the title of the Stockard Realty Company.

The combination is an unusually strong one. W. D. Stockard has been in the real estate business with the Stockard Hardison Company for a long time and has had a great deal of experience in selling real estate. His brother, Luther E., has achieved marvelous success in the advertising business. A few years ago he came to Columbia and started the Stockard Advertising Agency. His original ideas, splendid business capacity and fine salesmanship soon attracted attention and it was not long before he was called a wider field. For three years he was advertising manager of the Federal Chemical Company, one of the great fertilizer corporations of the country and for two years he has been sales manager of the company, having under him a staff of no less than thirty people. In his work he became thoroughly familiar with the farm properties and is therefore thoroughly qualified to give customers expert advice.

It will be gratifying news to the many friends of Mr. Stockard to know that he will move his family here and

make Columbia his home. He is a hustling and enterprising citizen and can be depended upon to support any movement for the welfare of the city and county.

There will be no change in the location, the offices formerly used by the Stockard-Hardison Company on West Seventh street being used by the Stockard Realty Company. W. D. Stockard is very popular here also and enjoys the full confidence of his customers.

COLUMBIA MULE CO. TO SELL GOOD MULES

FRANK DALE, MANAGER OF THE LOCAL STOCK YARDS PROUD OF OFFERING.

The car load of mules to be sold at the auction sale of the Columbia Mule Co. at the local stock yards next Monday, Feb. 9, come as near being a perfect bunch of mules as could be gotten together in one pen.

These mules are all coming three year olds and are all mares, and with the exception of color each look a counter part of the other. They will average about 1,200 pounds each and are built from the ground up.

Frank Dale, the local manager of the stock yards took great pride in showing a representative of The Herald this pen of mules Tuesday, and he is justly entitled to his feeling of pride, as there has never been a bunch of mules in the stock yards or any other stock yards in this section of the woods that could top them.

Ashwood Mill Changes Hands Price \$60,000

The village of Ashwood has been sold. Included in the sale was the big flouring mill, the mercantile establishment and all properties of the Ashwood Roller Mills. The new owners of the village are J. E. Napier, Thomas G. Napier and G. E. Morgan, of Nashville, who have purchased from J. O. Walker and W. E. Hunter the property for \$60,000. Papers for the transfer of this property are now being drawn up by J. Shelby Coffey.

The Mallard duck ranges from Northwestern Alaska to Panama.

A dozen of the prominent theatres in London are managed by women.

Herald Cheap Columns Ads Pay.

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Watch the Little Pimples; They are Nature's Warning Unsightly and Disfiguring Signals of Bad Blood.

Pimples on the face and other parts of the body are warnings from Nature that your blood is sluggish and impoverished. Sometimes they foretell eczema, boils, blisters, and other skin disorders that burn like flames of fire. They mean that your blood needs S. S. to cleanse it of these impure accumulations that can cause

unlimited trouble. This remedy is one of the greatest vegetable compounds known, and contains no minerals or chemicals to injure the most delicate skin. Go to your drug store, and get a bottle of S. S. S. today, get rid of those unsightly, disfiguring pimples, and other skin irritations. It will cleanse your blood thoroughly. For special medical advice free, address Medical Director, 41 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

Work Mules at Auction On Monday, February 9, 1920

We will sell at 10 O'clock A. M., one hundred (100) good three, four and five year old broke work mules, also a load of extra good three year old mules, all broke.

Auction At Stock Yards at Columbia COLUMBIA MULE CO.

DR. BUCKNER OF MEMPHIS IS A VICTIM OF INFLUENZA

RECTOR OF CALVARY CHURCH OF BLUFF CITY—MANY FRIENDS IN COLUMBIA.

The news of the death of Dr. Walter Buckner rector of Calvary church Memphis, was received here Tuesday afternoon with genuine regret by his many friends and admirers in this city. Dr. Buckner has visited Columbia upon several occasions, attending the annual conventions held in this city and the convocation and had many friends here. Dr. Buckner fell victim of influenza and contracted pneumonia from which death resulted. He is a man of family.

HAYES & JACKSON TAKE HOME INSURANCE AGENCY

G. W. Crittenden, traveling agent for the Home Insurance Co., of Liverpool, with headquarters in Atlanta, was in Columbia today and placed his farm risk business with the firm of Hayes & Jackson, who will carry this business on in connection with their other insurance and real estate business.

Herald Cheap Columns Pay.

FIFTY CARS OF MULES SHIPPED

SALES IN COLUMBIA MONDAY PROBABLY SET NEW RECORD, BELIEVED 1,900 SOLD.

As the result of Monday's mule market fifty cars of mules have been shipped out by the Columbia Mule Co. Estimating that in each car there are twenty-five of the long eared animals, gives a total of 1,250. It is estimated that the number of mules shipped is only two-thirds of the number sold, gives a grand total of 1,900 mules, and it is believed that this would run near 2,000. Figuring these animals at the conservative price of \$300 each gives the enormous total of \$570,000, for the business transacted on the streets here Monday.

A representative of the Herald made diligent inquiries into the prices of mules and was shown one pen containing a car load, and there was not one single mule in the pen priced at less than \$100, and the price ranged upward to \$500. It is believed that the general \$300 average price is full low.

It is somewhat curious anomaly that France and Switzerland, the oldest republics in Europe, are among the most backward states from a woman suffrage standpoint.